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1. ALL MAJOR NEWSPAPERS REPORTED APRIL 2 RAID WHICH OCCURRED DAY BEFORE IN SYDNEY. ACCORDING TO NEWSPAPERS, 260 COMMONWEALTH AND NEW SOUTH WALES POLICE RAIDED 68 CROATIAN HOMES IN SYDNEY AND WOLLONGONG, MAKING ARRESTS AND SEIZING EXPLOSIVES, WEAPONS AND DOCUMENTS. ABC NEWS AT 1:00 PM APRIL 2 STATED 13 PEOPLE INCLUDING ONE WOMAN HAVE BEEN ARRESTED BY POLICE ON CHARGES VARYING FROM POSSESSING A PISTOL WITHOUT LICENSE, HIDING TWO STICKS GELIGNITE IN HOME AND RESISTING POLICE OFFICERS IN PERFORMANCE OF DUTY. RAID WILL UNDOUBTEDLY BE QUESTIONED WHEN PARLIAMENT RESUMES APRIL 3, AT WHICH TIME ATTORNEY GENERAL MURPHY IS SCHEDULED TO MAKE STATEMENT ABOUT TERRORIST ACTIVITIES. RICE

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